Herman Barron Meets Evans for Teacher Trophy

Herman Barron, who last February captured the PGA Seniors' Teacher Trophy championship, will be seeking to win the fifth straight World Seniors' professional title for the U. S. when he faces the British Seniors' champion, George Evans, in a 36-hole match at St. Anne's Old Links, Lancashire, England in July. Since the international match was inaugurated by Wm. Teacher & Sons, Glasgow distillers, in 1954, U. S. professionals have won seven of the nine matches, including the last four.

Both competitors in this year's match won upset victories in their national tournaments. Barron, who had retired from the American professional tour some 13 years ago, played four fine rounds in the American Seniors' to turn back a record field of 381 and set a tournament record of 272. On the other side of the Atlantic, Evans, who only turned professional two years ago at the age of 49, thwarted Sam King's bid for a third straight British victory.

The Teacher International trophy has become a most coveted item in Senior professional golf on both sides of the Atlantic. The first international match was held in 1954 with Gene Sarazen defeating Percy Allis, 4 and 3. Other American winners have included Mortie Dutra, Al Watrous, Willie Goggin, Dick Metz and in the last two matches, Paul Runyan. Only Bob Kenyon, who defeated Pete Burke in 1956, and Norman Sutton, who stymied Sarazen's second try in 1958, have won for Great Britain.

USGA Women's Amateur

The 63rd USGA Women's Amateur will be played Aug. 19-24 at Taconic GC, Williams College, Williamstown, Mass. Entries are open to women amateurs with handicaps not exceeding six strokes under the USGA's handicap system. The field will be limited to 128 players and qualification will be based on low handicaps. A blind draw will determine pairings in the match play championship, although certain players will be distributed through the list by lot. Women who plan to enter the Amateur must have their applications in the USGA office, 40 E. 38th st, New York 16, by 5 p.m. on July 31. JoAnne Gunderson is defending champion.

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